

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 37 and 39 to 59 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter and amend the claims as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, read as follows:

1. to 37. (Canceled)

38. (Currently Amended) ~~The system according to Claim 37,~~ A system for displaying images, comprising:

an image display device, comprising:

a plurality of input terminals for inputting a plurality of image signals, respectively;

selection means for selecting an image signal to be displayed as a main image from the plurality of image signals input via said plurality of input terminals;

compression means for compressing the other image signals not selected by the selecting means, respectively;

combining means for combining the selected image signal and the compressed image signals into a resultant image; and

displaying means for displaying the resultant image on a screen of a display device; and

a plurality of terminal devices connected to the image display device via a wireless network such that an image signal is transmitted to said image display device from each of the plurality of terminal devices, each of the plurality of terminal devices including

transmitting and receiving means for transmitting and receiving an image signal or a control signal by means of wireless communication.

wherein, said compression means compresses an image signal which is not selected as the main image with a compression ratio greater than a compression ratio for an image signal selected as the main image, and

wherein an image signal period of image signals transmitted from at least transmitting and receiving means of said plurality of terminal devices is represented by  $T$ , a transmission period of an image signal selected as a main image from the image signals combined and displayed on the screen of the display device is represented by  $\tau$ , a number of image signals which are combined and displayed on the same screen of the display device and which are not selected as the main image is represented by  $n$ , and a constant  $k$  is given, the parameters  $T$ ,  $\tau$ ,  $n$ , and  $k$  are set such that the following equation is satisfied:

$$\tau = kT/(n + k).$$

39. to 59. (Canceled)